

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)
 (Large Entity)

Docket N .
 121027-040 (new)

In Re Application Of: **Toshio KOBAYASKI et al.**

Serial No. 09/766,275	Filing Date January 19, 2001	Examiner John Guarriello	Group Art Unit 1721
Invention: ELASTICALLY STRETCHABLE COMPOSITE SHEET AND PROCESS FOR MAKING THE SAME		JUN 26 2003 FAX RECEIVED GROUP 1700	

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from: May 27, 2003 Date until: June 27, 2003 Date

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- If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 12-2136


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Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

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